

TRICHOOGONIA ROSSMAESSLER, 1835 LAMELLIBRANCHIATA:
PROPOSED SUPPRESSION UNDER THE PLENARY POWERS.
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The object of this application is the suppression of the generic name *Trichogonia* Rossmäessler, 1835. This name was published in 1835, the reference being "Icones Land und Süßwasser Moll. Europ., v. 1, pe. 1, p. 112". The type, by monotypy, is *Mytilus polymorphus* Pallas. This species is also the type of *Dreissena* van Beneden published the same year. Since the generic name *Dreissena* has been placed on the Official List of Generic Names in Zoology under Opinion 782, it would seem appropriate that its objective synonym *Trichogonia* be suppressed under the plenary powers for the purposes of the Law of Priority, and placed on the Official Index of Rejected and Invalid Generic Names. Accordingly I hereby request that such action be taken.

